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PART I BRASILIA PORTION

REFS: A. STATE 137402 B. BRASILIA 4452

1. PURSUANT TO REFTEL A AND JUNE 6 AND JUNE 11 RUSER-SMITH TELCONS, FOLLOWING REVISED PROPOSED PROGRAM AND SCENARIO FOR SECRETARY BUTZ' VISIT TO BRAZIL IS SUBMITTED FOR COMMENTS AND APPROVAL. NOTE THAT BRASILIA PORTION MUST BE CONSIDERED ILLUSTRATIVE AND SUBJECT TO CHANGE UNTIL WE HAVE ANSWER TO MINISTER PAULINELLI'S REQUEST TO PRESIDENT GEISEL THAT LATTER RECEIVE SECRETARY: ANSWER NOT EXPECTED UNTIL JUNE 16 OR 17.

2. JUNE 20 - FRIDAY
13:40 HRS - ARRIVAL IN BRASILIA (CIVILIAN AIR TERMINAL). SECRETARY AND MRS. BUTZ WILL BE WELCOMED BY MINISTER PAULINELLI, AMBASSADOR AND MRS. CRIMMINS, AND PROBABLY A REPRESENTATIVE OF FOREIGN MINISTRY PROTOCOL OFFICE. IF ARRIVAL STATE-
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MENT IS RECEIVED BY EMBASSY IN TIME, WE WILL DISTRIBUTE

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TRANSLATION TO PRESS, IN WHICH CASE WE SEE NO NEED FOR
SECRETARY ACTUALLY TO DELIVER STATEMENT. WE EXPECT PHOTO-
GRAPHERS AND POSSIBLY TELEVISION CAMERAMEN WILL BE ON HAND
AT PLANESIDE TO RECORD ARRIVAL. WE WILL AVOID MILITARY
HONORS. THE MINISTER, THE SECRETARY AND MRS. BUTZ AND THE
AMBTIADOR AND STU. CRIMMINS WILL WALK BACK FROM THE PLANE THROUGH
THE VIP RECEPTION AREA OF THE CIVILIAN TERMINAL DIRECI
TO
THEIR RESPECTIVE CARS. MINISTER PAULINELLI WILL RETURN TO
HIS OFFICE. SECRETARY AND MRS. BUTZ (PLUS SECURITY AGENT)
WILL PROCEED TO AMBASSADOR'S RESIDENCE, WITH THE SECRETARY
TO RIDE WITH THE AMBASSADOR AND MRS. BUTZ TO RIDE WITH
MRS. CRIMMINS IN HER CAR. THERE WOULD BE AN ADVANCE CAR,
SOME DISTANCE AHEAD OF THE PARTY, AND A SECOND SECURITY
CAR IN THE MOTORCADE BETWEEN THE AMBASSADOR'S LIMOSINE AND
MRS. CRIMMINS' CAR. (AMBASSADOR'S RESIDENCE AT MSPW
CONJ. 1, LOTE 9-10, TEL. 42-7005 OR 43-5261).
REST OF PARTY WILL PROCEED BY BUS TO HOTEL NACIONAL, WITH
BAGGAGE TAKEN SEPARATELY BY COVERED EMBASSY TRUCK AND
DELIVERED TO ROOMS BY EMBASSY EMPLOYEES (HOTEL TEL. 23-0050).

14:40 HRS - SECRETARY, ACCOMPANIED BY AMBASSADOR, LEAVES
RESIDENCE.

15:00 HRS - SECRETARY, ACCOMPANIED BY AMBASSADOR, CALLS ON
FOREIGN MINISTER SILVEIRA IN HIS OFFICE (TEL. 24-1305);
MINISTER PAULINELLI WILL ALSO BE PRESENT. WE SUGGEST THAT
THE SECRETARY DISCUSS INTERNATIONAL AGRICULTURAL ISSUES
WITH MINISTER SILVEIRA, WHO SEEKS TO EXERCISE OVERALL
POLICY INFLUENCE WITH RESPECT TO INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC
MATTERS WITHIN GOB.

15:30 HRS - SECRETARY BUTZ, FOREIGN MINISTER SILVEIRA,
MINISTER PAULINELLI, AND THE AMBASSADOR LEAVE FOR
PLANALTO PALACE, THE PRESIDENTIAL OFFICE BUILDING (TEL-
23-7755). (NOTE: OUR CURRENT INFORMATION IS THAT BOTH
MINISTERS WOULD BE PRESENT AT THE MEETING WITH THE PRESIDENT).

15:45 HRS - THE SECRETARY, ACCOMPANIED BY AMBASSADOR, CALLS
ON THE PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC. THE SECRETARY PRESENTS
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LETTER FROM PRESIDENT FORD TO PRESIDENT GEISEL. WE SUGGEST
THAT SECRETARY BUTZ CONVEY TO PRESIDENT GEISEL HIS RECOGNI-
TION OF BRAZIL'S IMPORTANCE TO THE WORLD FOOD PROBLEM AS
ONE OF THE FEW AREAS OF THE WORLD WITH SIGNIFICANT AGRI-
CULTURAL EXPANSION POTENTIAL, AND ASK HIM FOR HIS VIEWS ON
BRAZIL'S PROSPECTS FOR AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT. IN
FREQUENT VISITS TO SITES OF AGRICULTURAL INTEREST IN BRAZIL,
GEISEL HAS GIVEN THE IMPRESSION OF CONSIDERABLE INTEREST IN

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AGRICULTURAL MATTERS, AND HE IS A NATIVE OF RIO GRANDE DO SUL, ONE OF THE PRIMARY AGRICULTURAL STATES OF BRAZIL. BRAZILIAN SIDE WILL FURNISH INTERPRETING SERVICES.

16:15 HRS - THE SECRETARY AND THE AMBASSADOR LEAVE FOR MEETING WITH MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE.

16:30 HRS-FIRST SESSION WITH MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE. THE SECRETARY AND THE AMBASSADOR WOULD CALL ON THE MINISTER IN HIS OFFICE (TEL. 24-8464). AT THE BEGINNING OF THEIR MEETING (PERHAPS 20 TO 30 MINUTES), SECRETARY BUTZ AND MINISTER PAULINELLI WOULD BE ACCOMPANIED ONLY BY ONE OR TWO OFFICIALS -- ONLY THE AMBASSADOR AND POSSIBLY ONE MEMBER OF THE SECRETARY'S PARTY, PREFERABLY MR. BEUKENKAMP, ON THE US SIDE --AFTER WHICH THE MEETING COULD BE BROADENED TO INCLUDE A FEW ADDITIONAL OFFICIALS IF THE MINISTERS WISH. AT SUCH TIME AS MEETING IS BROADENED, THE GROUP WOULD MOVE TO THE MINISTER'S CONFERENCE ROOM.

PARTICIPANTS, ON THE US SIDE, WOULD BE:
SECRETARY BUTZ
AMBASSADOR CRIMMINS
MR. HUMES
MR. RUSER
MR. BEUKENKAMP
OPTIONAL ADDITIONS:
MR. WEST
MR. HUTCHINSON
MR. SMITH

MR. RUSER AND CARS WILL BE AT THE HOTEL TO TAKE THE OTHER PARTICIPANTS AND THE OFFICIAL INTERPRETER TO THE MEETING; THEY SHOULD LEAVE THE HOTEL AT 16:10 AND BE STANDING BY IN LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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THE CONFERENCE ROOM AT THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE.
THE MAJOR INTEREST OF SECRETARY BUTZ WOULD BE TO HEAR THE MINISTER'S VIEWS ON THE MAIN LINES OF BRAZIL'S AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT: PRODUCTION AND EXPORT TARGETS FOR VARIOUS PRODUCTS AND REGIONS, THE MAJOR POLICIES PURSUED BY BRAZIL, MAJOR TECHNICAL, ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL QUESTIONS IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE AGRICULTURAL PLAN; POSSIBLE IMPLICATIONS FOR BRAZILIAN/US RELATIONS.

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18:30 HRS - SECRETARY BUTZ RETURNS TO AMBASSADOR'S RESIDENCE. OTHER PARTICIPANTS ARE TAKEN BY MR. RUSER IN CARS BACK TO HOTEL NACIONAL.

19:30 HRS - MR. & MRS. RUSER AND CARS WILL BE AT HOTEL NACIONAL TO TAKE GUESTS TO AMBASSADOR'S DINNER AT RESIDENCE.

20:00 HRS - AMBASSADOR'S DINNER IN HONOR OF SECRETARY BUTZ. IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECRETARY'S WISHES, AMBASSADOR IS PLANNING A DINNER FOR AROUND 30-40 PERSONS INCLUDING WIVES. ABOUT HALF OF THESE WOULD BE AMERICANS, INCLUDING RANKING MEMBERS OF THE SECRETARY'S PARTY. BRAZILIAN GUESTS WOULD INCLUDE LEADERS IN THE EXECUTIVE AND LEGISLATIVE BRANCHES, WITH EMPHASIS ON THE AGRICULTURAL SECTOR. ONCE WE HAVE THE PRECEIDENCE LIST FOR THE SECRETARY'S PARTY, WE WILL PREPARE AND CABLE A COMPLETE GUEST LIST.

JUNE 21 - SATURDAY

09:40 HRS - SECRETARY BUTZ AND AMBASSADOR LEAVE RESIDENCE
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FOR MEETING WITH MINISTER PAULINELLI. MR. RUSER AND CARS

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WILL BE AT HOTEL NACIONAL TO TAKE PARTICIPANTS TO MINISTER PAULINELLI'S RESIDENCE FOR MEETING.

10:00 HRS - MINISTERS CONTINUE THEIR DISCUSSIONS AT MINISTER PAULINELLI'S RESIDENCE. PARTICIPANTS WOULD BE THOSE IN FRIDAY'S MEETING. DEPENDING ON THE WISHES OF EITHER SIDE, THE TOPICS DISCUSSED THE DAY BEFORE COULD BE FURTHER CONSIDERED, AND/OR THE FOLLOWING TOPICS MIGHT BE DISCUSSED:

-- SPECIFIC COMMODITY ISSUES (E.G., WHEAT, SOYBEANS, SUGAR, OTHER TROPICAL PRODUCTS);

-- THE TREATMENT OF AGRICULTURE IN THE MTN, INCLUDING POSSIBILITIES FOR US/BRAZILIAN COOPERATION;

-- THE WORLD FOOD PROBLEM: NEXT STEPS, INCLUDING THE RECENT US PROPOSALS; AND

-- FUTURE OCCASIONS FOR THE TWO MINISTERS TO STAY IN TOUCH ON ISSUES OF MUTUAL CONCERN.

12:00 HRS - LUNCHEON HOSTED BY MINISTER PAULINELLI AT HIS RESIDENCE.

MINISTER'S STAFF HAS INDICATED THAT MINISTER PAULINELLI WOULD WISH TO KEEP THE LUNCHEON SMALL IN ORDER TO FACILITIATE AN INFORMAL ATMOSPHERE. MINISTER IS SUGGESTING A TOTAL OF 12 MEN, INCLUDING SOME OR ALL O THE AMERICANS, UP TO A MAXIMUM OF 8, PARTICIPATING IN THE MORNING'S DISCUSSIONS.

14:00 HRS - MINISTER PAULINELLI AND SECRETARY BUTZ, ACCOMPANIED BY THE SECRETARY'S OFFICIAL INTERPRETER, LEAVE IN THE MINISTER'S CAR FOR THE AIRPORT, FOLLOWED BY THE MINISTER'S SECURITY VEHICLE. MESSRS. HUME AND BEUKENKAMP AND TWO BRAZILIAN OFFICIALS PARTICIPATING IN THE FLIGHT TO UBERABA FOLLOW IN TWO VEHICLES FURNISHED RESPECTIVELY BY THE US AND BRAZILIAN SIDES. AMBASSADOR RETURNS TO HIS LIMOUSNE TO THE RESIDENCE. MR. RUSER ESCORTS OTHER US OFFICIALS IN US VEHICLES BACK TO HOTEL NACIONAL.

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14:20 HRS - DEPARTURE FROM BRASILIA IN MINISTER PAULINELLI'. EXECUTIVE-JET AIRCRAFT FOR UBERABA (IN WESTERN MINAS GERAIS STATE NEAR THE BORDER OF SAO PAULO STATE). PARTY WILL INCLUDE TOTAL OF SEVEN PERSONS, INCLUDING MINISTER PAULINELLI AND SECRETARY BUTZ, TWO BRAZILIAN OFFICIALS, MSSRS. HUME AND BEAUKENKAMP, AND THE SECCRETARY'S OFFICIAL INTERPRETER. THERE MIGHT BE A SECOND AIRCRAFT, TO TRANSPORT SECURITY AND PERHAPS TWO OR THREE ADDTITIONAL OFFICIALS, IF REQUIRED.

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DURING THE FLIGHT, THE MINISTERS WILL HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO DISCUSS THE CERRADO (WHICH THEY WILL BE OVERFLYING), THE DRY, LARGELY UNCULTIVATED LANDS OF THE INTERIOR, WHICH PROVIDE THE MAJOR OPPORTUNITIES FOR EXPANSION OF ACREAGE BUT ALSO ENTAIL VERY SPECIAL TECHNICAL AND ECONOMIC CHALLENGES.

15:15 HRS - MINISTER AND SECRETARY ARRIVE UBERABA. VISIT RANCHING AND FARMING SITES. ADVANCE SECURITY ARRANGEMENTS WILL BE MADE WITH FEDERAL AND LOCAL POLICE AUTHORITIES.

16:45 HRS - DEPART UBERABA FOR BRASILIA IN MINISTER PAULINELLI'S AIRCRAFT.

17:20 HRS - AMBASSADOR DEPARTS RESIDENCE FOR AIRPORT.

17:35 HRS - MINISTER'S AIRCRAFT ARRIVES BRASILIA

17:45 HRS - 18:15 HRS - PRESS CONFERENCE. MINISTER PAULINELLI INTRODUCES SECRETARY BUTZ.

18:00 HRS - MRS. BUTZ AND MRS. CRIMMINS DEPART FOR BRASILIA AIRPORT. LUGGAGE OF SECRETARY AND MRS. BUTZ HAS BEEN PICKED UP AT RESIDENCE AT 17:00 AND BEEN SENT AHEAD TO AIRCRAFT.

DEPARTURE ARRANGEMENTS FOR REST OF SECRETARY'S PARTY:

16:00 HRS - PICKUP OF LUGGAGE AT HOTEL NACIONAL BY EMBASSY EMPLOYEES

17:30 HRS - DEPARTURE BY BUS FOR AIRPORT AND DIRECT BOARDING OF AIRCRAFT
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18:30 HRS - SECRETARY BUTZ' AIRCRAFT DEPARTS BRASILIA FOR RIO.

LADIES' PROGRAM

FSO JUDY KAUFMANN WILL BE CONTROL OFFICER FOR THE LADIES' PROGRAM IN BRASILIA; SEPTEL WILL BE SENT WITH PROGRAM SUGGESTIONS

PROGRAM FOR NEWSPAPERMEN

EMBASSY REQUIRES GUIDANCE AS PER BRASILIA'S 4756.

PROGRAM FOR OTHER MEMBERS OF BUTZ PARTY

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EMBASSY IS PREPARED TO ARRANGE:

A) A TWO HOUR SIGHT-SEEING TOUR OF BRASILIA BY BUS;

B) CALLS ON BRASILIAN COUNTERPART OFFICIALS, FRIDAY AFTERNOON, FOR INDIVIDUAL MEMBERS WHO MIGHT WISH TO DISCUSS SPECIFIC SUBJECTS;

C) GOLF, TENNIS OR SWIMMIG SATURDAY MORNING;

D) LUNCH AT A LOCAL BARBECUE-TYPE RESTAURANT.

SPECIAL NOTES

(1) AS SCHEDULE SHOWS, WE ARE ASSUMING LUNCH WILL HAVE BEEN SERVED ABOARD THE AIRCRAFT PRIOR TO THE PARTY'S ARRIVAL IN BRASILIA.

(2) PLEASE NOTE THAT ALL THOSE FLYING TO UBERABA WILL HAVE TO BE PACKED (AND CHECKED OUT) PRIOR TO THE MORNING MEETING AT MINISTER PAULINELLI'S RESIDENCE.

(3) EMBASSY WILL ARRANGE FOR TRANSFER OF CLASSIFIED MATERIAL FROM AIRCRAFT TO EMBASSY AS NECESSARY. PLEASE ADVISE.
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